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MEMORANDUM

TO: Senate Retirement Committee Members

Senator Black, 8th, Vice-Chairman
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Senator Crane, 28th
Senator Harper, 7th
Senator Lucas, 26th
Senator Rhett, 33rd
Senator Hill, 6th, Ex-Officio

FROM: Senator Hufstetler, 52nd, Chairman

SUBJECT: Senate Retirement Committee Notice

DATE: Wednesday, January 20, 2016

The Senate Retirement Committee will meet on **Tuesday, January 26, 2016** at **2:00p.m.** in **Room 307 CLOB.**

AGENDA:

- **BILL HEARINGS:**
 - **SB 243 – Hill, Jack, 4th** - A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 23 of Title 47 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Georgia Judicial Retirement System, so as to change certain provisions relating to preservation of rights by certain persons; to provide for membership in the system for certain persons in a full-time position requiring admission to the State Bar of Georgia as a condition of employment; to provide for an irrevocable election; to provide for a transfer of funds; to provide for creditable service; to provide for calculation of benefits; to change certain provisions relating to definitions; to provide a legislative purpose; to provide conditions for an effective date and automatic repeal; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.
 - **HB 256 – Maxwell, 17th** - A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 7 of Title 47 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Georgia Firefighters' Pension Fund, so as to provide new definitions; to change a term for membership of the board; to

provide for a break in employment for certain members; to clarify provisions related to leaves of absence, withdrawal of dues, and application for reinstatement as an active member; to clarify provisions for failure to pay dues and the reinstatement process; to permit selection of up to five beneficiaries to receive equal portions of certain benefits upon the death of certain members; to provide for certain penalties for false statements or falsified records; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

CC:

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